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LAST EDITION WEATHER FOR SALT LAKE.

Lead, in ore, \$3.50; New York, \$4.45.

HALF A MILLION LOSS IN BOSTON

Fire Breaks Out in Pier 4. Charles- Over One Hundred Lives Sacrificed town Docks.

ING THE FLAMES.

of the Philadelphian were badly & injured. The fire was discovered & at 1:39 o'clock and at 2:45 a. m. •

STON, Feb. 21 .- A fire causing imnse losses broke out on pier 4 best of the Hoosac tunnel docks, harlestown, early today. Its origin has not been determined but is believed to have been started from spondaneous combustion. Five alarms prought the greater part of the aparatus of the city to the scene. The flames spread with startling rapidity, com-nunicating with the Furness-Leyland steamer Philadelphian, which was tied alongside the pier, and in a few moments was in flames from stem to stern. It is feared that two of the sailors have been lost. When the flames were discovered most of the crew jumped overboard, Captain Dickenson himself hanging by a rope over the boat's side until he was assured that no one remained on board.

Second Steamer Ablaze.

rom the Philadelphian the flames jumped over to the steamer Dalton Hall of the Antwerp line, which was soon aflame. It is thought that the crew of the Dalton Hall escaped. The flames are apparently unchecked and beyond control. The two fire boats responded to the

alarm, but, for an hour the water thrown up by them had no apparent effect upon the flames. The wharf was filled with valuable mported goods. The Philadelphian arrived here Saturday from Liverpool. The Dalton Hall was loaded with a

with the wharves was in imminent danger, but at 2:30 o'clock it was thought it could be saved.

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ed with grain, but it was believed the boat would not be a total loss.

the roof of the Grand hotel, and it was discovered to be on fire. A general alarm was sounded. Guests at the hotel were aroused and fled from their rooms. Many of them had just retired, after watching the adjacent fire in the wholesal district. The fire on the roof of the Grand hotel was extinguished in ar hour. The loss was caused for the most part by water and reached \$2,000.

ank Rimieri, aten of the Ninth cavalry, at For in the 9arade.

The Ninth eavalry served in Cuba during the Spanish-American war and subsequently in the Philippines. It is one of the four colored regiments in the army, and it was because of the president's prison today.

Albert A. Patrick, the lawyer who is in prison under sentence of death for the murder of William Marsh Rice, had requested that the body of Koenig be embaimed to test his theory that the embaiming fluid would produce a congestion of the lungs like that brought on by the inhaling of chloroform. Rice's lungs were congested, it was alleged, by hloroform. Koenig had asked that his dy be cremated, and Patrick's request s denied.

TON GROWERS CALLATTHE MILES AND THE MILES AN

Feb. %.-Presiden Roosevelt today received a committee appointed by the recent southern inter-state cotton convention at New Orleans urge the creation of a commission to extend to foreign markets for cotton products. The delegation consisted of about a dozen members, headed by forabout a dozen members, headed by former Senator McLaurin of South Carolina. The committee urged immediate
steps looking to congressional action
for this purpose in behalf of the cotton
interests. The president discussed the
question with the delegation and stated
that he would take it up with the men
who represent the cotton belt in constress. He assured the committee that gress. He assured the committee the the movement,

MINERS CAUGHT IN DEATH TRAP

TWO STEAMERS BURNED AN EXPLOSION OF DUST

GREAT DIFFICULTY IN SUBDU. WORK OF RECOVERING THE BODIES SLOW.

Boston, Feb. 21.—A loss roughly Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 20.—By an explosion in the Virginia mine, about eighteen miles southwest of Boston, Feb. 21.—A loss roughly cstimated at half a million dollars was caused by fire breaking out to in pier 4 of the Hoosac tunnel docks early today, destroyed piers and 4, destroyed the upper works of the Furness-Leyland line stramer Philadelphian and damaged the steamer Dalton Hall. An immense grain elevator adjoining was saved.

The crews of the two steamers escaped with some difficulty and to fire and the chief steward to fire about eighteen miles southwest of Birmingham, at 4 o'clock this afternoon, more than a hundred union miners are entombed, and it is believed the entire number suffered an awful death. Scores of vigorous rescuers are at work digging into the mine to relieve their friends and comrades in the inside.

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Details Are Slow.

station at Virginia and the only wire running to the place is a dispatcher's wire of the Birmingham Mineral railway on which Virginia is located. Details of the disaster were slow to come in.

The class of miners employed was the best in the district and all belonged to the United Mine Workers of America. Since the strike has been on in the Birmingham district many of the most industrious and thrifty miners of Pratt City and other important mining points have removed to the Virginia mines, so that the mines were being worked to their full capacity by the most skilled miners in the community.

Work of Rescue.

Relief trains with surgeons and work

The stopes are well east trouble in the as never been the least trouble in the mines before. They are owned by the Alabama Sieel & Wire company, but are leased and operated by Reid & Co.

President Edward Flynn of the Alabama United Mine Workers and National Committeeman Fairley, together with J. R. Allier, district organizer, have left for the scene.

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President Flynn said before leaving that there were 135 men employed in the mine regularly, but as yesterday was pay day he could not say whether the full quota was in the mine at the time of the dis

ADDICKS DESERTED BY SPEAKER DENNY

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valuable cargo and was to have sailed
tomorrow.

Piers Nos. 3 and 4 have been destroyed and the steamer Michigan of
the Warren line and Martello are
threatened. It is thought the loss will
be nearly \$1,000,000.

Fire Checked.

At 2:30 o'clock this morning it was
believed that the spread of the flames
had been checked, that the loss would
be confined to piers 3 and 4, and the
steamers Philadelphian and Dalton
Hall. At that hour the upper works
of the Philadelphian were burning, but
it was thought that the flames would
mot reach the hold.

She has a cargo valued at \$750,000.

One-fourth of her cargo, which included 5,000 bales of wool, has been
discharged.

Later it was ascertained that all of
the crew of the Philadelphian had been
saved. Captain Dickerson's wife was
taken ashore into a boat.

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So far as known at that hour no lives had been lost. The Dalton Hall was loaded with grain, but it was believed that the boat would not be a total loss. At 2:45 the fire was said to be under control.

The total loss is now roughly estimated at \$500,000.

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The explosions of chemicals in the Keifer & Delmetch house, with the accompanying bursts of flames, made the companying bursts of flames, made the companying bursts of flames, made the fire a spectacular one. Falling walls added to the danger incurred by the firemen, one of whom suffered a broken log.. There were many narrow escapes from death.

The fire was confined with great difficulty to the burned district, which adjoins the Union station. The concessions from the chemical explosions broke hundreds of panes of glass across Meridian street. The burned district, which adjoins the Union station. The concessions from the chemical explosions broke hundreds of panes of glass across Meridian street, Louisiana street, Jackson place and an aliey.

Sparks from the burning building flew over the city, carried by a high wind. These sparks fell on the buildings, and when were stationed on roofs to protect them. Smouldering sparks fell on the buildings, and when were stationed on roofs to protect them. Smouldering sparks fell on the buildings, and when were stationed on roofs to protect them. Smouldering sparks fell on the buildings, and when were stationed on roofs to protect them. Smouldering sparks fell on the buildings, a Feb. 20.-The Associated

Ninth Cavalry to Take Part in Inaugural Parade.

Washington, Feb. 20.—In order to in ease the cavalry representation in the augural parade, and at the same time TO DEATH IN

THE ELECTRIC CHAIR

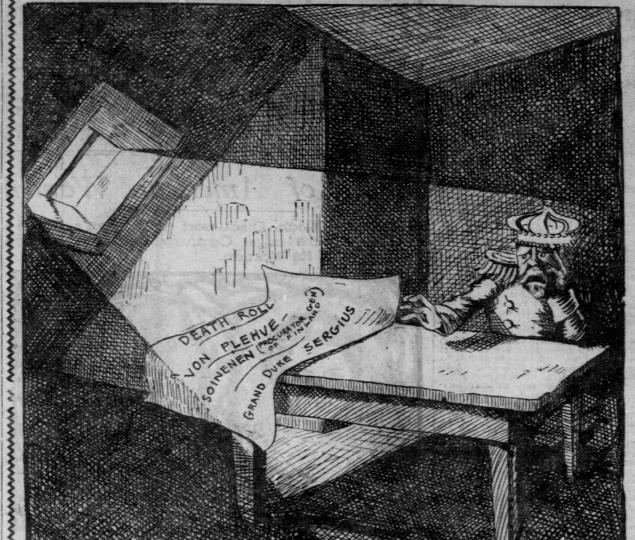
N. Y. Feb. 20.—Frank Rimieri.

The Ninth cavalry served in Cuba du-

Ogden, Feb. 21.—James Astell, fireman on the Hot Springs railroad line, was held up and robbed about 1 o'clock this merning near the corner of Twenty-second street and Washington avenue. One man did the job, shoving a sum in Astell's face and making him. gun in Astell's face and making him throw up his hands. The robber se-cured \$6.50 and a pocket-knife, and then made Astell march on.

PAYING BIG PRICES.

Port Louis, Mauritus, Feb. 20.-The Russian second Pacific squadron, with colliers totalling seventy ships, was still at Noszi-be on Feb. 16. The Russians were buying stores largely, especially wines and liquors. They asked for 10,000 bags of flour and 50,000 cans of potatoes at prices meaning fortunes for the sellers,



In the Palace of the King,

DARING RAID OF

Rennenkampff's Division Penetrates Japanese Lines.

WENT AROUND LEFT FLANK

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miles southwest of Siacobeje, on the with Liao Yang and the southward Japanese positions. Throughout the night Russian videties were in touch with the Russian videties were in touch with the Emperor Will Has Due Regard For Japanese, and in the morning brought in information that a force of infantry was moving northwestward with a of cutting off the Russians, while Chinese bandits, said to be comma

Movement Successful. At this juncture the commander determined, instead of retiring and abandoning his purpose of a reconnaissance, to strike in eastward, discover the strength of the ehemy, and threaten his rear. This bold movement was successful. At noon columns of Japanese cavalry were encountered, but, meeting the fire of the trans-Baikal batteries, the Japanese fled, with Cossacks in pursuit. A battalion of Japanese infantry opened fire from a village. The Russian left, which had changed front, advanced and forced the Japanese to abandon the village. Owing to darkness and lack of knowledge of the strength of the Japanese, further pursuit was suspended. The division passed the night at the village of light the suspended. assed the night at the village of

vision passed the night at the village of Piankfan.

At daybreak of Feb. 16 the division moved eastward toward the villiage of Oudiagantse, which was entrenched and occupied by Japanese horse artillery. The advance guards opened fire, concentrating on trenches in front of the village. The distance was not great, and the effect of bursting shrappel was easily visible. The Japanese cavalry suffered heavily, shrappel bursting in their midst, stampeding their horses. Detachments of Russians occupied villages on the flank and drove back the Japanese. The division, having accomplished its task, retraced its road, meeting no serious resistance. The Russian losses were one Cossack killed, and an ensign and eleven men wounded.

KANSAS ANTI-TRUST LAW CONSTITUTIONAL

Washington, Feb. 20.—The validity of the Kansas anti-trust law was today upheld by the supreme court of the United States by an opinion by Justice Brewer in the case of Edmund J. Smiley, plaintiff in error. vs. the state of Kansas. Smiley in 1500 was secretary of the State Grain Dealers' association, and the allegation in this case was that he organized the wheat dealers in the town of Bison. Rush county, into a trust to control the price of wheat at that place. The supreme court of the state sustained the prosecution against him, and Justice Brewer's opinion upholds that verdict. He based his decision on the ground that the law was in harmony with

LONG SENTENCE IMPOSED

Major Carrington Gets Sixty Years and Five Days in Prison.

Manila, Feb. 20.—Major Carrington, who was convicted for falsifying youchers of the civil government to the amount of \$1.500, was today sentenced to a total of sixty years and five days imprisonment. He was sentenced on five separate counts, and the sentence on each charge was twelve years and one day.

Major Carrington practically made no defense, his attorneys solely raising technical points. nical points.

The case will be appealed to the supreme court of the islands, and is the decision there is adverse to the appellant the major will appeal to the supreme court of the United States.

LIFE IMPRISONMENT.

Mason, Mich., Feb. 20.—Mrs. Carrie Jos-lyn, who pleaded guilty to murdering her husband by poison, and Isaac Swan, her paramour and former farm hand for the Joslyns, were both sentenced today to life imprisonment.

RECEIVED THE SMALL SUM OF \$350

THE COSSACKS Accused California State Senators Declared to be Guilty by the Special Committee and Their Expulsion is

expelled from the senate.

The four senators were accused of demanding and accepting a bribe for protecting certain building and loan associations from investigation by the legislative committee on retrenchment and reform, of which they were members. A trap was set for them and marked bills were given to a government of the reporting on the management of building and loan as sociations. Senators Belshaw, chairman of the committee, said that additional remained to be printed. He therefore recommended that the committee's report to make a special order for next throughout the reporting on the management of building and loan as sociations. Senators Belshaw, chairman of the committee, said that additional remained to be printed. He therefore recommended that the committee's report to make a special order for next throughout the reporting on the management of building and loan as sociations. Senators Belshaw, chairman of the committee, said that additional remained to be printed. He therefore recommended that the committee's report to make the committee of the commi

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SEPTEMBER FIRST THE DATE SET FOR OPENING THE UINTAH RESERVATION

Washington, Feb. 20 .- The Indian ap- | 000 to \$300,000 the appropriation to

their cancellation; increasing from \$60,- Washington.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The Indian appropriation bill as agreed on by the senate committee on Indian affairs adopted an amendment offered by Senator Bard of California, as follows:

"That no portion of the funds appropriated by act nor the principal or interest of any Indian trust or tribal funds, held by the United States for the benefit of any Indian tribe, shall be available nor be expended for the support of any sectarian or denominational school."

Among other amendments are the following: Authorizing the secretary of the interior to investigate alleged fraudulent lease or leases for inadequate compensation of Indian lands in Indian Territory with a view to their cancellation; increasing from \$60,-

WILL BE PROBED TO THE BOTTOM.

(Special to The Herald.)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 20.—Since the meeting of the privileges and elections committee of the senate on Saturday there has been considerable discussion between some of its members and members of the senate committee on rules concerning the 'probable procedure in the case. The disposition of some members of the elections committee was to have a report submitted to the senate and action for or against taken at this session so as to terminate the case.

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This was not received with favor on the part of Senators Spooner, Platt (Connecticut) and Hale of the committee on rules, three of the most influential members of the senate. They expressed the opinion that the Mormon question should be probed so that no further investigation should ever be necessary, and they want opportunity to have the fullest possible discussion in the senate of the questions involved in the retention or expulsion of Smoot. In view of their wishes, it is understood that the privileges and elections committee will not undertake to make a report on the case at this session, and it is stated on what seems to be good authority that Chairman Burrows will ask the senate to authorize a sub-committee to visit Utah during the coming summer for the purpose of obtaining additional testimony.

BRITISH CABINET HAVING TROUBLE HOLDING THE REINS OF GOVERNMENT

London, Feb. 21.—Until after today's meeting of the cabinet probably nothing will be known definitely as to the outcome of the MacDonnell incident. In spite of denial there is a strong impression that the crisis will not end without some modification of the eabinet. Secretary Wyndham's speech is admitted by his own newspaper supporters this morning to have been rather a weak performance, and throughout he appeared very uncomfortable, especially when Winston Churchill put to him the awkward question why, if Sir Anthony MacDonnell were reproved, the viceroy escaped reproof.

Lord High Cecil to some extent saved the situation by following Mr. Wyndham's speech. It is still thought in many quarters that the Earl of Dudley's resignation as lord leutenant of Ireland has merely been postponed, or that Premier Balfour has refused to accept it. Another rumor is that Foreign Minister Lansdowne has refused to resign if the ministers make Sir Anthony MacDonnell were reproved, the viceroy escaped reproof.

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According to the Times this morning, the Earl of Dudley has tendered his resignation and the cabinet has been summoned to consider the resignation. The Times is of the belief that MacDonnell's resignation will promptly follow.

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Washington, D. C., Feb. 20.—The comptroller of the currency today and compton the cabinet has been summoned to consider the resignation. The resignation will promptly follow.

MURDERERS ARE CAUGHT IN UTAH

Cody, Wyo., Bank Robbers in Jail Wisconsin and Missouri Will Fight Letter to Chairman Hepburn Was at Vernal.

CAPTURE.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Representative Campbell, of Kansas, the author of the resolution providing for an inquiry into the operations of the oil interests of the country, had an extended conference with President Roosevelt today regarding iff Horton of Carbon county, Wyo., arrived here yesterday, accompanied by W. L. Walls, who was an eye witness to the hold-up and the killing of

man and Fraughton as his accomplice.

On the Lookout.

At the time of the robbery, last November, a description of the men was sent out over the country and a close watch was kept in this section by Sheriff Preece. Several weeks ago Caldwell and Fraughton, who were formerly Uintah county boys, passed through here and were seen by people who knew them, and at that time their actions were suspicious.

At Jensen they stole a saddle, and warrants were sworn out for their arrest. Sheriff Preece and Deputy Sheriff Tolliver followed them to Coiton.

Caldwell Discouraged.

Vesterday Caldwell was sent to ounty Attorney Pope, who wanted to see him concerning his case, and while soon with James R. Garfield, commissioner of corporations, who will direct the faculty. At that conference a genleaving the county attorney's office he sioner of corporations, who will an into the Wyoming sheriff, who promptly covered him with a gun. Caldwell made no resistance and was lodged in jail. It has not yet been decided what course will be pursued as regards the different charges against the two men. The district court term in this county will be held next month, when the largency case against them.

WAR WAGED BY KANSAS. when the larceny case against them will come up. They will be held here for trial on the larceny charge.

Acknowledge Stealing.

They will be immediately placed u Senators Emmons, Bunkers, Wright and French, recommends that they be expelled from the senate.

The four senators were accused of demanding and accepting a bribe for protecting certain building.

Both men deny that they are the Cody bank robbers, and state that they are willing to go back and stand trial.

Belong at Vernal.

Caldwell and Fraughton both have erous relatives in this county. The citizens. Caldwell has a mother here and several brothers who are well known and respectable citizens. Both men are the black sheep of the respective families and have borne a shady reputation for some time past. Sheriff Benton of Big Horn county, Wyo., where the robbery occurred, has been notified of the capture, and will come to Vernal at once to further identify

RAILWAY RATE BILL WILL EXPIRE MARCH 4

Washington, Feb. 20.-President &

Measure Will Be Incubated During the Summer-Extra Session Probable.

Roosevelt, who for weeks has been .
hopeful that some definite action . might be taken at the present ses- * sion of congress on the railroad \$\displaystyle rate question, practically has re-\$\displaystyle linquished the idea of securing \$\displaystyle legislation on the subject this win \$\displaystyle legislation on legislation on the subject this win ↑
ter. It is reasonably certain that ↑
he will not call an extraordinary ↑
session of congress to meet in the ↑
spring, but unless he changes his ↑
mind he will call congress togeth ↑
er, probably next October.
Representatives Esch and Town ↑
send, joint authors of the rate bill ↑
which passed the house, had a ↑
talk with the president today. ↑
They outlined the rate situation in ↑ . They outlined the rate situation in & congress as they have found it.
They agreed with him that the ⋄
prospect for the enactment of rate ⋄ legislation at this session was re mote. They indicated that if no
 action were taken at this session the subject would be considered the subject would be considered the thoroughly during the coming the summer with the idea of presenting a measure at the next session the which, very likely, would contain the some additional features. ❖ As they left the White House, ❖
❖ both Messrs. Esch and Townsend ❖
❖ expressed the conviction that an ❖ sextra session would be called for s

20000000000000000000000 NOT GIVING ANY GROUND

Beveridge.

Washington, Feb. 20.-Whether ahe enate conferees on the statehood bill will represent the party that defeated joint statehood for Arizona and New Mexico or the party that fought for the retention of that provision was debated at length in the senate today, but no decision was reached. The usual manner was to name as conferees, the two with a government, declaring home rule to be as dead as the dodo, and, while advising Irish unlonists to be patient, treating the whole matter as one of little consequence.

NEW IDAHO BANK.

(Special to the Herald.)

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OTHER STATES JOINING KANSAS ALL THE FEES

the Standard Oil.

MEN IDENTIFIED REFINERY FOR OKLAHOMA DRAKE GAVE HIM AWAY

REWARD OF \$5,000 FOR THEIR ROOSEVELT ORDERS A RIGID IN-QUIRY.

arrived here yesterday, accompanied by W. L. Walls, who was an eye witness to the hold-up and the killing of the bank cashier. He claims to have been within fifteen feet of Caldwell when he did the shooting, and states that he himself was fired at twice. He positively identified Caldwell as the man and Fraughton as his accomplice.

sented to the president considerable information bearing upon the matter which he has received since the adeption of his resolution. He informed the speaker of the house of the Texas legislature a telegram urging him to request the president and the department of commerce and labor to extend the resident Drake of the road.

This statement was made the president considerable information bearing upon the matter which it was stated that Grun delivered in the president and the department of the committee Satur was stated to the committee Satur which it was stated that Grun delivered in the president and the department of the committee Satur was stated to the president he adeption of his first was stated to the department of the president and the department was made to the committee Satur was stated to the committee Satur was stated to the speaker of the sature that the department was stated to the state and the president and the department was stated to the state of the sature that the president and the department was stated to the state of the sature that the president and the department was stated to the committee Satur was stated to the committee Satu

rest. Sheriff Preece and Deputy Sheriff Tolliver followed them to Coiton, and there arrested them. They were brought back to Vernal and lodged in jail. Caldwell subsequently secured bail, and was stopping with relatives when Sheriff Horton arrived.

The present actives of representatives in requiring an investigation. It would not surprise him, either, he said, if the price of the crude oil should be advanced gradually on account of the ball steamship company, controlled by the Union and Southern Pacific railways, was interested in keeping up the steamship rate between New York

Debate on Anti-Discrimination Bil Postponed.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 20.-On account of a small attendance of members, the Kansas house today deferred con-sideration of the anti-discrimination bill until next Friday. It will be made a special order for that date, and will be pushed through as rapidly as possible. The Holdren bill, prohibiting the tinued.

pumping of gas will be considered by the senate this week. It is conceded that these bills will pass, and this will end the battle for the oil producers, so far as legislatic

If a state investigating co appointed attention will be given to the charge that the Santa Fe railway is interested with the Standard in work They say that they can prove that they were not in the vicinity of Cody when the hold-up occurred. Walls is positive, however, that they are the The protest was wired to shipped by President Roosevelt tonight. That much danger to the Kansas oil refinery in a possible extension of the

Wisconsin in the Fight.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 20.-Following e example of the Kansas legislatur the Wisconsin legislature will soon tak one a joint resolution for an investig tion of the methods of that corporati modeled as a substitute for the measure Senator McGillivray has intro-duced, affecting anti-trust legislation.

Agitation in Missouri

Kansas City, Feb. 20.-The Missouri legislature may be asked to take up rember is trying to find some trace Kansas' fight against the Standard Oil him. Walter's wife and family live Kansas' fight against the Standard Oil Representative Leslie Lyons of Kansas City, has, it is said. Jefferson City the maximum freight rate bill and the bill making oil pipe have been greatly despondent. lines common carriers. As soon as copies of the bills passed by the Kansas legislature are received, a number Kansas City men interested in the Kansas field will, it is stated, go to the Missouri capital in the interest of these measures.

Oklahoma Oil Refinery. Guthrie Okla. Feb. 20.-A bill probeen prepared by Representative Mc-Bride and will be presented in the an equal price throughout the terri-Governor Ferguson is said to a measure similar to that recently passed by the Kansas legisla-

JUDGMENT FOR \$6,000,000 Englishmen Win Suit Against the Stratton Estate.

St. Louis, Feb. 20.-Judge Adams, sitpeals, today handed down a decision in favor of the defendant in the case of the Stratton Independence company, limited, of Bondon, England, against the estate of William S. Stratton to recover \$6.000,000 which the plaintiff appealed from the United States circuit court of Colorado. It was charged Opponents of Joint Statehood in the Senate Resist Plan of Paveridge

Beveridge mine to the plaintiff.

DISASTER ON ERIE ROAD

One Young Woman Killed and Forty Persons Injured, Fifteen of Them Severely.

GRUNSKY TOOK

Misleading.

AMA RAILWAY.

and San Francisco.

Mr. Walker said that it was not until the Panama Railway company had threatened to break with the Pacific

tons a year was wanted, and but 12, 000 tons were forthcoming. The result of a demand for more had brought the tonnage up to 30,000 tons last year. Through rate from New York to San Francisco via the isthmus, he said, averaged \$12 a ton and from San Francisco, \$2.75 a ton. The difference in price was due to the difference in the class of goods shipped. The rate he said was board on the said. rate, he said, was based on the trans-continental railroad rate, and was 30 per cent less on ear load lots and 20 per

FREIGHT CONGESTION ON ROAD TO TONOPAH

the blacklist. SUPPOSED TO HAVE

Los Angeles, Feb. 20.-Grove Walter local attorney and former assistant ander State's Attorney Dineen, nov governor of Illinois, has mysteriously disappeared from his home in this city nd it is feared has committed su cide. Walter left the city Feb. 2, and three days later a letter was received from him by a friend here, stating that he intended to end his life. Nothing has been heard from him since that time. The Masonic lodge of which he was a Walter to friends in this city state that

COMMITTED SUICIDE

ACTION RESCINDED.

Committee of Three Will Not Report on Peabody Contest.

Denver, Feb. 20.—At a special meeting of the legislative committee appointed to hear evidence in the Peabody-Adams gubernatorial contest, called by Chairman William H. Griffith this afternoon, the action of the committee last night in appointing a committee of three to formulate for the full committee a report on the findings of fact and conclusion of law based upon the evidence adduced, was descinded. Chairman Griffith was absent last night when the aforesaid action was taken, and resented the adoption of the resolution providing for the sub-committee. Today he announced his intention to ullify the action of the committee, if possible, and to that end called intention to uilify the action of the committee, if possible, and to that end calle a special session, which was attended be nearly every member of the full commit

NO NEW LAND DISTRICT.

Utah's Senators Still Have Their Horns Locked.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Legislation to create a new land district in Utah is likely to fail at this session of congress, unless either one or the other of Utah's senator recedes from the stand taken concerning the area to be included in the proposes new district and the location of the land office. The bills of Kearns and Smoot are in the hands of a sub-committee of the public lands committee, consisting of Senators Gamble, Deitrich and Newlands One of these members said today:

"It looks to us as if the best thing to do with the matter is to let it go over it the next congress. If we recommend the Kearns bill, Smoot probably will object to its passage, and if we recommend the Smoot bill, it is likely Kearns will kill it so the whole matter might as well go over «(Special to The Herald.)

RENO MAN BECOMES INSANE ON DESERT

woman was killed and about 40 persons were injured, fifteen of them badly, by the derailing of a commuters train on the Erie railroad near Fairlawn today.

The head car ran for nearly a mile on the ties and rock ballast before it toppled over, and, followed by all the